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SECTION 2. Section 152.1601, Human Resources Code, is amended by adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

*(f) The McCulloch County Juvenile Board and the juvenile boards of one or more counties that are adjacent to or in close proximity to McCulloch County may agree to operate together. Juvenile boards operating together may appoint one fiscal officer to receive and disburse funds for the boards.*

SECTION 3. Section 152.1661, Human Resources Code, is amended by amending Subsections (b), (c), and (d) and adding Subsections (e) and (f) to read as follows:

(b) The juvenile board shall elect one of its members as ~~[court judge is the]~~ chairman ~~[of the board and its chief administrative officer].~~

(c) The commissioners court shall ~~shall~~ ~~[may]~~ pay the juvenile board members an annual salary of not less than \$600, payable ~~[set by the commissioners court at not more than \$1,200 as compensation for the added duties imposed on the members. The salary shall be paid]~~ in equal monthly installments from the general fund or any other available fund of the county. The commissioners court may increase the compensation at any time.

(d) Sections 152.0002, 152.0004, 152.0005(b) ~~[152.0005], and 152.0006[, 152.0007, and 152.0008]~~ do not apply to the juvenile board of Mason County.

(e) The juvenile board shall hold regular annual meetings on dates set by the board and special meetings at the call of the chairman.

*(f) The Mason County Juvenile Board and the juvenile boards of one or more counties that are adjacent to or in close proximity to Mason County may agree to operate together. Juvenile boards operating together may appoint one fiscal officer to receive and disburse funds for the boards.*

SECTION 4. Section 152.1701, Human Resources Code, is amended by adding Subsection (f) to read as follows:

*(f) The Menard County Juvenile Board and the juvenile boards of one or more counties that are adjacent to or in close proximity to Menard County may agree to operate together. Juvenile boards operating together may appoint one fiscal officer to receive and disburse funds for the boards.*

SECTION 5. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

Passed the Senate on April 7, 2011: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 23, 2011: Yeas 142, Nays 0, one present not voting.

Approved June 17, 2011.

Effective June 17, 2011.

## CHAPTER 914

### S.B. No. 1330

#### AN ACT

relating to driving safety courses for individuals younger than 25 years of age receiving deferred disposition for certain traffic offenses.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Effective January 1, 2012, Subsection (b-1), Article 45.051, Code of Criminal Procedure, is amended to read as follows:

(b-1) If the defendant is younger than 25 years of age and the offense committed by the defendant is a traffic offense classified as a moving violation:

(1) Subsection (b)(8) does not apply;

(2) during the deferral period, the judge:

(A) shall require the defendant to complete a driving safety course approved under Chapter 1001, Education Code; and

(B) *may require the defendant to complete an additional driving safety course designed for drivers younger than 25 years of age and approved under Section 1001.111, Education Code; and*

(3) if the defendant holds a provisional license, during the deferral period the judge shall require that the defendant be examined by the Department of Public Safety as required by Section 521.161(b)(2), Transportation Code; a defendant is not exempt from the examination regardless of whether the defendant was examined previously.

SECTION 2. Subchapter C, Chapter 1001, Education Code, is amended by adding Section 1001.111 to read as follows:

*Sec. 1001.111. DRIVING SAFETY COURSE FOR DRIVER YOUNGER THAN 25 YEARS OF AGE. (a) The commissioner by rule shall provide minimum standards of curriculum for and designate the educational materials to be used in a driving safety course designed for drivers younger than 25 years of age.*

*(b) A driving safety course designed for drivers younger than 25 years of age must:*

*(1) be a four-hour live, interactive course focusing on issues specific to drivers younger than 25 years of age;*

*(2) include instruction in:*

*(A) alcohol and drug awareness;*

*(B) the traffic laws of this state;*

*(C) the high rate of motor vehicle accidents and fatalities for drivers younger than 25 years of age;*

*(D) the issues commonly associated with motor vehicle accidents involving drivers younger than 25 years of age, including poor decision-making, risk taking, impaired driving, distraction, speed, failure to use a safety belt, driving at night, failure to yield the right-of-way, and using a wireless communication device while operating a vehicle, and the role of peer pressure in those issues;*

*(E) the effect of poor driver decision-making on the family, friends, school, and community of a driver younger than 25 years of age; and*

*(F) the importance of taking control of potentially dangerous driving situations both as a driver and as a passenger; and*

*(3) require a written commitment by the student to family and friends that the student will not engage in dangerous driving habits.*

*(c) A course approved for use under this section before January 1, 2012, must comply with the requirements of Subsection (b) and be approved for that purpose by the commissioner not later than January 1, 2012. This subsection expires September 1, 2012.*

SECTION 3. (a) The Texas Education Agency shall adopt the rules required by Section 1001.111, Education Code, as added by this Act, as soon as practicable after the effective date of this Act.

(b) The change in law made by this Act to Article 45.051, Code of Criminal Procedure, applies only to an offense committed on or after January 1, 2012. An offense committed before January 1, 2012, is governed by the law in effect on the date the offense was committed, and the former law is continued in effect for that purpose. For purposes of this subsection, an offense was committed before that date if any element of the offense occurred before that date.

SECTION 4. Except as otherwise provided by this Act, this Act takes effect September 1, 2011.

Passed the Senate on May 10, 2011: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 23, 2011: Yeas 142, Nays 0, one present not voting.

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Effective September 1, 2011, except as otherwise provided by this Act.

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## CHAPTER 915

S.B. No. 1338

### AN ACT

relating to the powers and duties of the State Preservation Board.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Subsection (a), Section 443.0071, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) A proposal to construct a building, monument, or other improvement in the Capitol complex must be submitted to the board for its review and comment *at the earliest planning stages of any such project* ~~[before contracts for the construction are executed]~~.

SECTION 2. Subsection (a), Section 443.010, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The board and the employees of the board shall develop plans and programs to solicit, and may solicit, gifts, money, and items of value from private persons, foundations, or organizations. Property provided by those entities and money donated to the board become the property of the state and are under the control of the board. The board shall use gifts of money made to the board for the purpose specified by the grantor, if any. *To the extent practicable, the board shall use gifts of property made to the board for the purpose specified by the grantor. The board may refuse a gift if in the board's judgment the purpose specified by the grantor conflicts with the goal of preserving the historic character of the buildings under the board's control.*

SECTION 3. Section 443.0103, Government Code, is amended by adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

*(e) The board may transfer money from the capital renewal trust fund to any account of the Capitol fund, provided that money transferred shall only be used for the purposes outlined in Subsection (b).*

SECTION 4. Subsection (a), Section 443.019, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The board may require and collect a standardized deposit from a person or entity that uses the Capitol or the grounds of the Capitol for an event, exhibit, or other scheduled activity. The deposit is in an amount set by the board designed to recover the estimated direct *and indirect* costs to the state of the event, exhibit, or activity. The board shall set the amounts of deposits required under this section in a uniform and nondiscriminatory manner for similar events, exhibits, or other scheduled activities. The board may deduct from the deposit:

(1) the cost of damage to the Capitol or grounds of the Capitol that directly results from the event, exhibit, or other activity;

(2) the costs of ~~[extra]~~ labor, materials, and utilities directly *or indirectly* attributable to the event, exhibit, or other activity; and

(3) the costs of ~~[extra]~~ security requested by the person or entity for the event, exhibit, or other activity.

SECTION 5. Chapter 443, Government Code, is amended by adding Section 443.030 to read as follows:

*Sec. 443.030. SUPPORT ORGANIZATIONS. The board may establish, maintain, and participate in the operation of one or more organizations of persons whose purpose is to raise funds for or provide services or other benefits to the board. Such an organization may be incorporated as a Texas nonprofit corporation.*